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: SURGICAL INSTRUMENT HAVING DISTAL FACE WITH FIRST AND

SECOND ELECTRODES

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

In further response to the Office Action dated August 11, 2003, and further to Applicants' Reply filed February 2, 2004, please additionally amend the above-identified application as follows:

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